

2026-2027 Wisconsin Association of FFA Calendar

August

1	Official FFA membership year begins
Aug. 3-5	GROWMARK Annual Meeting - Nashville, TN - State President attends
5	State Officers move-in day at Wisconsin State Fair (Half of the state officer team)
6-16	Wisconsin State Fair - West Allis
13-16	Wisconsin State Fair – FFA Honors Band and Chorus Performances
24-28	Jag Lake State Officer Retreat and Training
28	National Convention Student Engagement and Travel Assistance Grant Applications Close
31	National FFA Living to Serve Fall Semester Grants Due

September

1	National CDE/LDE Certifications and Uploads of Required Documents
9	National FFA Convention and Expo Registration Opens
14	Fall Leadership Workshop – Section 8 - Oconto Falls
15	Fall Leadership Workshop – Section 9 - Mishicot
15	Last Day to Order FFA Jackets for Delivery for National FFA Convention
15-19	National FFA NextGen Conference - Animal Systems - Kansas City, MO
16	Fall Leadership Workshop – Section 6 - Waupun
16	National FFA Convention Concert and Rodeo Tickets Go On Sale 5 p.m. CST
17	National Teach Ag Day
21	Fall Leadership Workshop – Section 1 - Amery
22	Fall Leadership Workshop – Section 2 - New Richmond
23	Fall Leadership Workshop – Section 3 - Tomah
23	National Convention Housing Closes 4 p.m. CST
24	Fall Leadership Workshop – Section 7 - Granton
28	Fall Leadership Workshop – Section 4 - Black Hawk
29-Oct. 2	World Dairy Expo – Madison
29	World Dairy Expo – Madison – FFA Day – State Officer Workshop and Judging Day
30	Fall Leadership Workshop - Section 10 - Mayville
30	National FFA Convention Early Bird Registration Closes

October

1	Fall Leadership Workshop – Section 5 - Cambridge
1	National Convention Housing Closes
3	FIRE Conference – UW-River Falls (Saturday)
7	State FFA Soils Contest – UW-Platteville
9	FIRE Conference – UWSP-Marshfield Campus (Friday)
9	Team Ag Ed Meeting - UWSP-Marshfield Campus 9:30 - 2:00 p.m.
15	Student applications for NextGen Plant Systems Conference St. Louis (March 2027), Missouri - Due
16	FIRE Conference – FVTC-Appleton (Friday)
18	Wisconsin State Officers and National Delegates leave for National Convention
Oct. 18-25	National Convention – Indianapolis, Indiana

November

TBD	UW-River Falls Parliamentary Procedure Workshops - Locations TBD
Nov. 12-13	(Thursday/Friday) National Leadership Conferences – Hyatt/KI Convention Center, Green Bay
Nov. 17	PDPW Stride Conference - UW-Madison Campus
Nov. 26-27	Thanksgiving Break
Nov. 30-Dec. 5	NAAE Convention - New Orleans, LA

December

1	FFA Membership Rosters, Program of Activities and Constitution Bylaws Submitted!
Dec. 4-6	Farm Bureau Annual Meeting – Wisconsin Dells
Dec. 7-11	State Officer Check Point #2 Training and Meeting – Marshfield/Portage
21-Jan. 1	FFA Center Christmas/New Year Break

January

Jan. 5-7	Half-Time Conference Work Days – Marshfield
Jan. 15-16	Half-Time Conference – Holiday Inn, Stevens Point
Jan. 15	State FFA Board of Directors Meeting - Stevens Point
TBD	Marshfield Parliamentary Procedure Invitational
TBD	District Leadership Development Event Dates To Be Announced – Jan. 20-Feb. 20
Jan. 21-22	Wisconsin Corn Soy Expo - Kalahari, Wisconsin Dells

February

Feb. 11 & 12	FIRE Conferences – SWTC-Fennimore
Feb. 17	State FFA Board of Directors Meeting – Cedar Creek Inn, Rothschild
Feb. 18	FFA Farm Forum - Cedar Creek Convention Center, Rothschild
Feb. 19-20	Wisconsin FFA Alumni Convention – Oshkosh
Feb. 21-22	Wisconsin FFA Legislative Day on the Hill – Madison
Feb. 20-27	National FFA Week

March

March 2-3	Eau Claire Farm Show – Eau Claire
March 2	CVTC Contests – Eau Claire
March 5-6	Proficiency Judging Day – Chula Vista, Wisconsin Dells
March 7-10	National NAAE Policy Seminar - Washington DC
March 11-12	State FFA Board of Directors Meeting – Madison
March 10	Regional CDEs – Janesville
March 18	Regional CDEs –UW-Platteville
March 16-17	PDPW Business Conference - Kalahari, Wisconsin Dells
March 18-19	(Thursday/Friday) FFA Connect & EDGE Conference – Chula Vista, Wisconsin Dells
March 23	Regional CDEs Mid-State Technical College – Marshfield
March 26-29	Easter Break
March 30-April 1	WPS Farm Show – Oshkosh

April

2	Regional CDEs – FVTC-Appleton
3	Regional CDEs – UW-River Falls
16	State FFA Career Development Events Day 1 – Madison (Ag. Com., Ag Mech & Technology, Ag Sales, Horse.)
TBD	State Envirothon – Rosholt (<i>Date to be confirmed</i>)
23	State FFA Career Development Events Day 2 – Madison
30-May 1	National FFA Alumni Regional Development Conference - Fond du Lac Area

June

14-17	State FFA Convention – Madison
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July

17-20	National FFA New Century Farmer Conference
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2026-2027 Wisconsin FFA Reports and Award Application Due Dates

Note: Due Dates are Subject to Change – Advisors will be notified of any adjustments.

1. Documents for National FFA Ag Issues, Marketing Plan, Prepared Speaking and Employment Skills Due to National FFA	September 1
2. Wisconsin FFA Foundation SAE Grant Applications	November 17
3. National FFA SAE Grant Applications	November 15
4. Initial FFA Membership Rosters	December 1
5. Chapter Program of Activities and Constitution/Bylaws Uploaded on National Site in order to submit Online FFA Membership Roster	December 1
6. National FFA Scholarship Applications (Date set by National FFA)	January 14
7. American FFA Degree Applications	January 15
8. Proposals for State FFA Constitution or Rule Changes	February 1
9. Washington Leadership Conference Scholarship Applications	February 3
10. State FFA Honors Band and Chorus Applications	February 12
11. State FFA SAE Award Applications	February 16
12. State FFA Degree Applications	March 2
13. State Honorary Degree and Distinguished Service Nominations	March 15
14. State FFA Foundation Collegiate Scholarship Applications	March 17
15. Final Supplemental Membership Rosters Affiliated chapters have extended deadlines upon notification of staff to include all semesters of students	April 1
16. Jr. High/Middle School Essay Entries	April 15
17. National Chapter Applications	April 20
18. Chapter Officer Leadership Award (Three Star Leader) Incorporated in National Chapter Application Submission	April 21
19. State FFA Talent Application	April 22
20. State Officer Candidate Application	April 23
21. Public Relations Team Applications	May 1
22. Food For America Award Application	May 4
23. Agriscience Fair Entry Form and Project Description	May 7
24. Courtesy Corps Applications	May 15
25. National FFA Official State Delegate Application Determined by Final Delegate Allocation provided by National FFA	August TBD